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LETTER TO THE EXAMINER

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Pursuant to your telephone conversation of November 17, 1999, with my assistant, Donnie S. Dietrich, enclosed are the formal drawings numbered 10A-19, for the above entitled-application. The photomicrographs, which are drawings numbers 1-9, will be hand-delivered under separate cover today.

Thank you for your telephone call and if you have any other questions or concerns, please call me at 1.919.941.8825

Respectfully submitted,

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